

seed cotton in Mecklenburg county, reported without prejudice.

Also, H. B. 910, a bill to entitled an act to amend chapter 377, Public Laws of 1899, concerning the Department of Agriculture, with a substitute by the committee and a recommendation that the bill as amended by the substitute do pass.

Mr. Pearson, from the Committee on Engrossed Bills, reports that the following bills and resolutions are correctly engrossed, and they are ordered to be sent to the Senate for the concurrence of that body:

H. B. 685, a bill to be entitled an act to regulate hunting and to protect game.

H. B. 1331, a bill to be entitled an act to protect birds in Cabarrus county.

H. B. 1035, a bill to be entitled an act for the protection of fish in Henderson and Yancey counties.

By Mr. Rothrock, from the Committee on Education, H. B. 1443, S. B. 741, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Miss E. C. Spruill, a public school-teacher in Nash county, with a favorable report.

By Mr. Stevenson, from the Committee on Health, H. B. 1442, S. B. 715, a bill to be entitled an act to establish a State Board of Embalming, to regulate the practice of embalming and the care and disposition of the dead, with a favorable report.

And H. B. 1586, a bill to be entitled an act for the relief of Dr. H. L. Sullivan, with an unfavorable report.

By Mr. Shelton, from the Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns, H. B. 456, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 119, Private Laws of 1899, entitled an act to incorporate the town of Waxhaw in Union county.

And H. B. 1581, a bill to be entitled an act to amend chapter 155, Private Laws of 1887, charter of Benson, with favorable reports.

Also, H. B. 904, S. B. 395, a bill to be entitled an act to